

24 June 1957

MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Reber

SUBJECT: Report on Action under Killian Recommendation C.4

1. You can take this one off your conscience, Doctor, as it is now off ours. On 28 May 1957, the IAC approved the NIE on this subject, NIE 100-2-57, Soviet Capabilities for Deception, and it will be published in the near future. It has several Annexes with fancy classifications. The whole works will go to special customers such as Jimmy Lay. As one who played only the role of occasional critic, I can safely say that it is the nearest thing to an artistic masterpiece we have ever produced. DCI agrees, and actually evinced pleasure when he had finished reading it from stem to stern.

2. Mr. Land saw this in draft and likewise approved.

3. I leave it to you to whip this into proper bureaucratic prose.

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